



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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October 5, 2005

J.B. Poersch, Treasurer
Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee
120 Maryland Avenue, NE
Washington, DC 20002

**Response Due Date:
November 4, 2005**

Identification Number: C00042366

Reference: March Monthly Report (2/1/05-2/28/05)

Dear Mr. Poersch:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Schedule A supporting Line 15 of your report discloses offsets to operating expenditures totaling \$10,000 from "Langevin for Congress" and "Ocean State PAC"; however, your report does not appear to disclose disbursements to, or on behalf of, these entities. Please provide clarifying information regarding this activity and amend your report(s) if necessary.

Please note for future reference, any disbursement made on behalf of a candidate or political committee for good or services provided by your committee may be considered a contribution under 11 CFR § 100.52 at the time that it is made, and to the extent the costs for the goods or services have not been paid by the candidate or political committee.

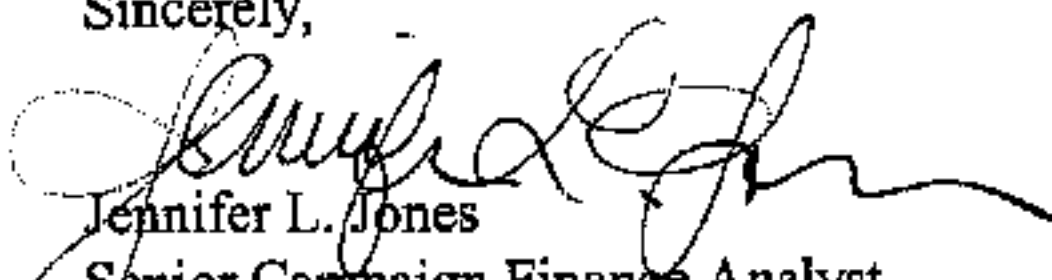
-Please clarify all expenditures made for "Catering/Facilities," "Cons/Prof.Serv. Direct Mail Dev.," "Data Modeling Direct Mail," "Data Processing Direct Mail," "Direct Mail Expense," "Fees- Direct Mail Processing," "Letter Production/Mailing," "Polling," "Postage/Shipping," "Printing" and "Video Production" on Schedule B. If a portion or all of these expenditures were made on behalf of specifically identified federal candidates, this amount should be disclosed on Schedules B or E supporting Lines 23 or 24 and include the amount, name, address and office sought by each candidate. 11 CFR §§104.3(b) and 106.1

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Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. **Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.** Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1393.

Sincerely,



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